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The Application of

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For: LIGHT SOURCE DEVICE INCLUDING A PLANAR LIGHT SOURCE HAVING
SINGLE, SUBSTANTIALLY CONTINUOUS LIGHT EMISSION AREA AND DISPLAY
DEVICE INCORPORATING THE LIGHT SOURCE DEVICE (As Amended)

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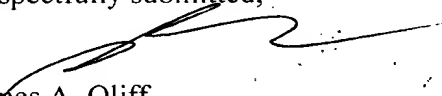
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the reference(s) listed on the attached PTO-1449. Unless otherwise indicated herein, one copy of each reference is attached. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the reference(s) be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

- ☒ 1. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed (a) within three months of the U.S. filing date of this non-CPA application, OR (b) before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits in the present application. No certification or fee is required.
- ☒ 2. The reference was cited in a counterpart Japanese application in an Office Action dated March 6, 2002.
- ☒ 3. An English-language abstract of the non-English language reference is attached hereto.

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